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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PINS, SHUM, SF
SUBJ: DURBAN DETAINEES RELEASED

REF: A. PRETORIA 5803, B. JOHANNESBURG 1770 AND PREVIOUS

1. SIX DURBAN DETAINEES HELD FOR ABOUT FOUR MONTHS UNDER SECTION 10 OF SAG'S INTERNAL SECURITY ACT WERE AMONG EIGHTY-ONE DETAINEES RELEASED JUST BEFORE CHRISTMAS BY JUSTICE MINISTER KRUGER. THE SIX INCLUDED FATIMA MEER, UNIVERSITY OF NATAL SOCIOLOGY LECTURER; JEANNIE NOEL, A FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE BLACK WOMEN'S FEDERATION; YUNUSCARRIM AND LLOYD PADAYACHI, STUDENTS AT THE INDIAN UNIVERSITY OF DURBAN-WESTVILLE; DAVID GASA, PRESIDENT OF THE UMLAZI RESIDENTS ASSOC ATION; AND NORMAN DUBIZANE, UNIVERSITY OF NATAL MEDICAL STUDENT. MEER CONTINUES TO BE BANNED AND GASA WAS SERVED WITH A BANNING ORDER UPON HIS RELEASE.

2. PADAYACHI IS SON OF U.S. CITIZEN FROM NEW JERSEY WHOSE CAMPAIGN TO BRING ATTENTION TO SON'S PLIGHT CAUSED CONSIDERABLE CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST DURING SEPTEMBER (REF B.)

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3. INDIAN ACTIVIST S.R. MAHARAJ, CONVICTED IN 1964 OF SABOTAGE, ALSO WAS RELEASED AFTER TWELVE YEARS IMPRISONED ON ROBBER ISLAND. HOWEVER, HE WAS BANNED FOR FIVE YEARS JUST BEFORE HE LEFT PRISON.
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